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## WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-003305 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 18-Jul-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**OSM Arrival Time:** 2030 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 0 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island Location: Shanghai, China

**CWI Name: CWI Present:** Yes An Qingxiang No Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes **Inspected CWI report:** No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** 

**Bridge No:** 34-0006 **Component:** Tower skin plates

### **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this day CALTRANS OSM Quality Assurance Inspector (QA) Steve Hall was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the fabrication of the SAS Superstructure being performed by Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) at Changxing Island, in Shanghai, China. QA observed and/or found the following:

Note: Due to ZPMC 14:00 ferry cancellation and Wusong public ferry delays, QA did not arrive to Changxing Island until 20:30 hrs.

Tower bay 1

QA performed 10% verification Ultrasonic Testing (UT) on the following tower skin plate welds: SSD1-SA179B/E-1A, SSD1-SA179D/E-13A, SSD1-SA179D/E-26A and SSD1-SA179D/E-31A. All welds that were scanned appeared to comply with AWS D1.5 2002 and the contract documents.

#### **Summary of Conversations:**

Only general conversations were held between QA and QC concerning this project.

## **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Patrick Lowry (858)-344-2712, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

**Inspected By:** Hall,Steven **Quality Assurance Inspector** 

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**Reviewed By:** QA Reviewer Cuellar,Robert